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A. Paul, Daughter by Former Wife, Seeks to Recover One-Twelfth of Estate Valued at \$1,500,000

GES THAT WIDOW, ALTHEA WALKER, WIELDED INFLUENCE OF CLAIRVOYANCE

Heir, Under Testament, It Is Alleged, Has Property Concealed and Refuses to Disclose Its Whereabouts

Plaintiff further alieges that as one of the heirs at law of said David F. Walker, deceased, this plaintiff is entitled to an undivided one-twelfth interest in and to sill of the property and estate, both real and personal, of said David F. Walker, deceased.

Charge Widow With Fraud.

Describe Alleged Boasts.

By Aid of Children.

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She declares that Mrs. is her possession and under the entire estate, which con wholly of stocks, bonds, other negotiable securities, valed this property and relose its whereabouts. Mrs. more alleges that Mrs. Wal en are beloing her to con

out in the complaint that Mr. to her by "unconscionable influence was so great that omitted entirely any beis children, although it was that he had always intended eb requests.

lker, it is stated in the com twenty years younger that and was entirely dependent

lker died on September 11 at 172 years. He was a resident Mateo county, Cal., where the San Francisco, January 10 filed in the superior court. samed Mrs. Walker as execuand is consequently without lation of the court.

Preparing to Leave.

grd that Mrs. Walker is preleave Salt Lake City, where is, for the state of Washingwhere, and Mrs. Paul asks court compel her to disclose on of the property; that she other defendants be enjoined ing of any of the property, the court appoint a receiver onal property.

al sues to recover one-twelfth te. The other heirs at law, to the complaint, are, bewidow, Margaret Walker daughter; Clarence Walker, a Walker and Althea Walker; Paul, D. F. Walker, Jr., H. , Maude L. Walker and Stella children of Mr. Walker and Walker, his deceased wife; also to Daynes, Dracia Rogers and egers, grandchildren, who are of L. B. Rogers and Mina teased, daughter of David

lete text of the complaint, with the will, follows:

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Paul plaintiff, vs. Althe Margaret Walker Smoot, ar

walker Walker Smoot, and Walker defendants.

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J. F. Walker, Jr. H. Saude L. Walker and Stella dren of said deceased, the deceased and Emoline sed, the wife of said pavid ceased; all residents of the Lake and state Utah: also bayaes. Dracia Rogers and the grandchildren of said dier deceased, being the Rogers and Mina Walker sed, daughter of said David ceased, daughter of said David ceased.

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SCORE OF LIVES

Plant of the Los Angeles Times Wrecked and Burned in Unexplained Manner.

DYNAMITE WAS USED

Plant Is Complete Wreck and Loss Is Estimated at Half-Million Dollars.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 1 .- The build ng occupied by the Times Publishing company was destroyed by fire this morning and there is a heavy death list, estimated as high as twenty.

The fire was preceded by an explosion of the later payer of the later and were injured.

The editorial rooms were on the third floor, but it is believed the greater part of the men on this floor escaped death. Thomas P. Smith, an "ad" compositor working on the second floor when the explosion occurred, gives this version:

"There were at least fifty men at work on my floor. I believe that half of this number may not have escaped.

In addition to the complete plant of the Times, the building contained the large plant of the American Engraving company. The loss is estimated at \$500,000.

Persons who were first on the seene

state that there were three distinct explosions. The first, which seemed to be the heaviest, occurred on the second floor, which was used as a composing The Times's plant is run by electricity throughout, and so far as is known there was no steam boiler in

Describe Alleged Boasts.

Flamtiff further alleges that the said defendant, Althea Walker, for many years has past, has declared and given out in speech and otherwise that she would deprive this plaintiff and her said brothers and sisters, and the lissue of her said deceased sister, of any and all interest and estate and distributive sharing the estate of said David F. Walker declared and given out in speech that she had canned the said David F. Walker to her and place in the rame, the legal title to a lore and place in the rame, the legal title to a lore and place in the said and personal property of great value. That said Althea Walker, in order to carry out her designs and purposes afore said, used unconscionable means by resorting to alleged or claimed communications with deceased persons, viz by what is commonly known as spiritualism or spiritualistic scances, cheats and frauds imposed upon the said David F. Walker to her will, and by what is commonly known as spiritualism or spiritualistic scances, cheats and frauds imposed upon the said David F. Walker to her will, and by the means and devices, subjected the said David F. Walker to her will, and by the means aforesaid wrongfully unduly and unwarrantably influenced him, to entry the said estate and purpose on how the post design and purpose on how the post declared and the children of plaintiffs said deceased sister, out of her and their in the said children, the defendants here in the said estate and purpose on how the post design and purpose on how the post decay of the said David F. Walker declared him, to entry the said controlled by him, as herein hefore allowed the property of said the children of plaintiffs said deceased sister, out of her and their in the said children, the defendants here in the said estate and property of said the children of plaintiffs said deceased sister, out of her and their in the said children, the defendants here in the said property of said the children of plaintiffs said deceased sister, out of her and their in the said

oon. Mr. Andrews said that in his opinion he estimate of loss of life had been ex-

ter.

By Aid of Children.

Plaintill further alleges that in further ance of said illegal design and purpose of said defendant. Althea Walker, to cheat he said defendant and befraud this plaintiff, and her said brothers and sisters, and the children of her said decreased sister, as aforesaid, the said decreased sister, has aforesaid, the said defendant. Althea Walker, has used the said defendants. Margarre W. Smooth and Clarence Walker, each of said Althea Walker as aforesaid, to all brothers and serving, removing and hiding the property of said David F. Walker, deceased.

Plaintiff further alleges that said defendant. Althea Walker, has under her control and custody and in her possession property belonking to said estate of said David F. Walker, descased.

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"BILLING A STAR ATTRACTION."



"A Word to the Wise Is Sufficient."

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of this number may not have escaped.

I, with others, rushed for the street immediately, and we then saw the whole building in flames."

The entire building was gutted at 1:45 a. m. and but two walls were standing. The fire department now has the situation well in hand, and the flames will probably not spread further.

Domestic.

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Two Burned to Death.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 20.—Explo-sion of an oll stove in the residence of Mrs. Jennie Lillech at Gadstone, Il., tonight caused a fire in which Mrs. Lil-tech and her father-in-law, Conrad Lil-tech, were burned to death.

President in Final Session at Los Angeles.

INVESTIGATION OF LAND GRANTS IS DEMANDED

Opinion Expressed That Public Should Regain Title Where Lands Contain Mineral.

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Prominent Salt Laker Chosen a day of almost continuous conference, went through shortly after midnight.

ment at 12.25 a.m., and the delegates made a rush for their trains.

The chief cause of delay lay in the difficulty of filling second place. Mr. Dix had been selected, and the other places on the treket had been settled to the apparent satisfactions of those

Attorney general—Thomas J. Charmody of Yates.

State engineer and surveyor—John A. Benzel of New York.

Associate judge of the court of appeals—Frederick Collin of Chemung.

Mr. Glynn refused to accept the nomination for comptroller, and William Sohmer of New York has been substituted in his place.

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to accept the nomination for lieutenant governor. It was said that he felt his county was too near that of Mr. Dix to make him a logical choice.

Dix Hangs Back.

When the leaders left the rooms of ir. Murphy at 2:30 o'clock this morn-Borah, a sort of independent, voted against Aldrich twenty-five times,

When the leaders left the rooms of Mr. Murphy at 2:39 o'clock this morning, after a vain effort to agree upon a candidate, the majority of them were for the state chairman, Dix. Unanimity of opinion, however, was prevented mainly by Mr. Dix's persistent refusal to run.

"I do not see how I could accept with honor," he declared.

"I am afraid it would leave sore spots all over the state."

Every influence was brought to bear upon the unwilling choice. Several of his relatives, his wife, his brother-in law and his nephew, all of whom were here with him, were sought out and urged to try persuasion. But when the convention met this afternoon for the first session of the day, Mr. Dix was still undecided. Pale and baggard, showing the strain under which he was laing the strain under which he was laboring, he called the convention to or der. The address of Permanent Chair-And who is Smoot that his retention must demand such a sacrifice? Isn't

WITHOUT SINGLE CRACK Democratic Convention at Rochester

Simply a Question of Waiting for the Leaders to Choose the Candidates They Desire

JOHN A. DIX SET APART BY ORGANIZATION FOR GOVERNOR

Chief Trouble Comes in Getting Dix to Agree to Run and Settling on Man for Second Place

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 30.—The returned to the conference and an nounced his decision. Soon himself, Dix ominated the following state ticket: Democratic state convention tonight nominated the following state ticket: For governor-John A. Dix. Washing

ton county. For heutenant governor-Thomas F Conway, Clinton county.

For secretary of state-Edward Laanska, Kings county. For comptroller-William S. Sohmer. New York, For state trensurer—John Kennedy

name of Congressman William Sulzer as the only rival candidate for governor. Mr. Sulzer received 16 of the 450 votes of the convention, and Mr. Dix got the rest.

not. Mr. Sulzer received 16 or received 17 or received 18 or received 18 or received 19 or recei

to the apparent satisfactions of those who gathered in the rooms of Charles M. Murphy, the Tammany leader, earlier in the evening.

Mr. Dix tonight yielded to the solicitation of the leaders, and agreed to run. The rest of the slate was arranged as follows:

Remainder of Slate.

Lieutenant-governor-Thomas F. Convay of Clinton county. Secretary of state—Edward Lazanski.

Both of these men should be driven out of public life, but poor misguided

Within five minutes the committee

"Yes, you may shake my hand," he said smilingly to those who congrat-ulated him. "But," he added, "I don't

ulated him. "But," he added, "I don't know whether you should congratulate me or not."

"He has shown himself a big man, was the comment of Edward M. Shephard. Mr. Shephard was the first to abandon his own candidacy in favor of Mr. Dix. Mr. Dix had made it a condition of his acceptance that all the other candidates should promise him their support. From how many he received this pledge could not be ascer-

New York.
For state treasurer—John Kennedy
Erie county.
For attorney general—Thomas J. Carmody, Yates coninty.
John A. Pensel, New York.
For associate judge of the court of appeals—Frederick J. Collins, Chemung county.

Slate Rushed Through.
The list of candidates prepared, after a day of almost continuous conference, went through shortly after midnight, with only two balts in its quick passage.
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nomination of Frederick K. Collin of Elmira for associate justices of the court of appeals.

Indorsement of Vann.

Then John B. Stanchfield of Elmira moved that the convention indorse the candidacy of Irving G. Vann, who has been nominated by the Republicans to succeed himself in the second vacancy on the court of appeals bench. The motion was carried unanimously.

The convention took its final adjournment at 12:25 a.m., and the delegates made a rush for their trains.

The chief cause of delay lay in the difficulty of filling second place. Mr. Dix had been selected, and the other lates a speech that without to make a speech that without the court of appeals. hour to make a speech that without interruption would have lasted but ten minutes.

This completed the nominations for governor and the delegates proceeded to Mr. Dix received 430 to 16 for Sul-zer and the nomination of Dix was

made unanimous John B. Riley of Clinton presented the name of Thomas F. Conway for lieu-tenant governor and there being no oth-er candidate he was named by acclaima-tion.

The convention will go into politea of Kings county.

Comptroller-Martin H. Glynn of in the history of the Democratic party Comptroller—Martin H. Glynn of Bany.

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Regarding the platform there was from the first little or no division of opinion. But the candidate was not chosen until Charles F. Murphy, leader

Details of the Day.

Mr. Parker as temporary chairman called the convention to order. Herbert P. Bissell of Buffalo, permanent chair-man, shortly afterward took the piatform and addressed the convention.

Chairman Bissell's Address.

Progressives and Advance.

boring, be called the convention to order. The address of Permanent Chairman Herbert P. Bissel, the reading of the platform, the reports of committees and the adoption of the routine resolutions, held the delegates until 3:43, when the convention took a recess until 7:30.

Prolonged Conference.

The conference in Mr. Murphy's room was resumed almost immediately. Four hours later a committee consisting of National Democratic Chairman Mack and John E. McCoocy, the Brooklyn leader, left the room and went to Mr. Dix's suite. There they told the chairman that the leaders still held to their opinion that he should run. Then Mr. Dix capitulated.

Progressives and Advance.

"We are pleased too, to find that this progressiveness has led to the adoption of recommendations made by the last them and control of interstate public service corporations, and of the recommendation and control of interstate public service corporations and of the recommendation and control of one president for the requilation and control of one president for the recommendation and control of one president for the recommendation and control of the recommendation and cont

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CLAIM MADE THAT

The fire was preceded by an explo-

Mad Rush for Life.

Charge Widow With Fraud.

Fiaintiff further alleges that upon the death of said bavid F. Walker as aforesard the said defendant, Althea Walker, widow of said deceased, for the purpose and with the intention of cheating and defrauding thus plaintiff and the aforesaid other children of bavid F. Walker and said Emoline Walker, deceased, as aforesaid; and the issue aforesaid of the said Mina Walker Rogers, deceased; out of her and their just share in and to the property and estate of said Pavid F. Walker, and to said defendants, Margarret W. Smoot and Clarence Walker, her children, to the exclusion of this plaintiff and her brothers and sisters, aforesaid and the aforesaid issue of plaintiff's said deceased sister, the whole of the personal estate of said David F. Walker, deceased, and a very considerable part, if not the whole of the personal estate of said David F. Walker, deceased, has taken into her possession and under her control all of the pursonal estate and property of said David F. Walker, deceased, heluding negotiable stocks, bonds, money and other personal property, and has secreted and concealed the same and refused to disclose to this plaintiff, or to any of her brothers or sisters, or children of her deceased sister, where said property now is, and refused to inform them or any of them or indicate to them or any of them or indicate to them or any of them or indicate to them or any of them or whether the same has been removed from the jurisdiction of this court.

Special to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30 -- Waldorf, S. Salgel and wife.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 30.—The American Mining congress wound up the business of its 1910 convention to-day with the election of officers and the e of adoption of several resolutions, prin-fil. cipal among which was one calling Lil. upon congress to instruct the depart-

Should Smoot and Sutherland Lead Intelligent Republicans?

A great national magazine characterizes George Sutherland as an abject tool of Smoot. It says in another issue in asking what kind of senators will Arizona and New Mexico elect, "Will they be mere two spots and pawns of the reactionary machine, like Sutherland of Utah or Burnham of New Hampshire?" This magazine, Collier's, is an especial champion of the Roosevelt

Roosevelt's championship of a number of progressive measures provoked savage attack from the Herald-Republican which is largely owned and controlled by Smoot, Sutherland and the federal bunch. He was denounced as an arrant boss. He was condemned for "ruthlessly" scratching off names of committeemen at the Saratoga convention that were unfriendly to him and placing thereon names of men of his own way of thinking. This was characterized as an absurdity and the statement was made by the "Mouth" that "if a Utah political leader were to seize the control that Mr. Roosevelt exercised in the Saratoga convention, liberty would curl up and die, and freedom

shrick from the mountain tops."? Even so, but Roosevelt is denounced for doing openly what Smoot does under cover. And Sutherland continues to act as Smoot's two spot here in ac

cord with his "man-Friday" conduct in Washington. Smoot voted with Aldrich 129 times. No other senator had such a record. Sutherland did not vote against Aldrich a single time. He was absent twelve times and east 117 affirmative votes. But five men are recorded as county having cast no vote against Aldrich. They were Aldrich, Flint, Smoot, Sutherland and Kean. The other Mormon controlled senators voted against Aldrich as follows: Warren, 1; Clark, 2; Heyburn, 4.

Nixon but once though he dodged 41 votes. La Follette has the record of voting against the tariff monstrosity the greater number of times, 106. Even some of the New England senators could not stomach all that Aldrich wanted Smoot supported the "interests" because he was bound to them for having their senators vote to retain him. He instantly became a tool. Suther-

land was made a party to the agreement and he was faithful to the apostle

even at the expense of his constituency. His friends are now whispering that if he is returned by the legislature to be elected next month that he will break away from Smoot. But it's all a cheap dodge to attempt to recover the prestige that he has lost because of his abject fawning to the apostle. Neither of these men, Howell included, have represented Utah. They have urged to try persuasion. But when the ed, wholly as the cast would desire. They both knew better but they first session of the day, Mr. Dix was re under contract to save Smoot's scalp. voted, wholly as the east would desire. They both knew better but they

he one of the most selfish of politicians? Didn't Uncle Jesse Knight tell how his start in life was made by grafting his employees? Hasn't be led the the platform, the reports of committees president of his church into more trouble sustaining him than that old man and the adoption of the routine resoluever had in his life? Has he not brought more grief to the Mormon people than any other man? And is he not now denouncing Nephi L. Morris, Albert Reiser, George A. Smith, Hyrum Smith and other prominent churchmen as liars and cowards because they indorsed the platform of the Republican prohibition mass meeting in February, 1909? Smoot would tear his church wide-open to win a small political advantage and Sutherland would stand by and clap his hands so long as he continued in

Mormons will likely sustain them believing that it must be done to sustain their church. All saints are not to be always misguided, however The light is dawning in Utah.

were under contract to save Smoot's scalp.

the apostle-senator's favor.